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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

June 23, 2010

Reviewed: PPB

Mine Name: Topaz Mine	Permit Number: M/023/0003
Operator Name: Brush Resources, Inc.	Inspection Date: June 23, 2010
Inspector(s): Wayne Western	Time: 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM
Other Participants: John Wagoner, Permittee	Mine Status: Active

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Re-vegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

Routine annual inspection

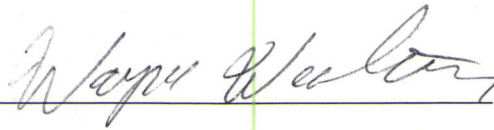
Inspection Summary:

1. The Permittee is current on permit fees. The bond amount is for \$1,362,000 and will be renewed on December 29, 2011.
2. The Permittee posts signs warning the public about mining operations.
3. Drains appeared to be functioning, no signs of erosion.
5. Road surfaces were maintained and no dust was observed.
6. The Operator reseeded the Fluro area in December 2009. Some new plants were noted during the inspection. Photographs of the area were taken.
12. The Operator wants to modify the NOI and asked for meeting the Division's staff in August.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

The Division should continue to monitor the site.

Inspector's Signature

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WHW:

cc: (OPERATOR)

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